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Enclosed is an Amendment in Response to the First Office Action dated April 28, 2005.

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TITLE:

PROCESS FOR PREPARING ALKYNECARBOXYLIC ACIDS BY

OXIDATION OF ALKYNE ALCOHOLS

RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Honorable Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the First Office Action dated April 28, 2005, the following information is being presented in the above-identified patent application:

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